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PETER PAUL & BRO., Buffalo, in connection with Ingham, Clarke & Co., Cleveland, and S. A. Clarke & Co., Pittsburg, will publish shortly a guide-book to Lake Chautauqua. The book is to be neatly gotten up, fully illustrated, and will be of immediate interest to the sight-seer. It will contain a number of maps of the different assembly grounds, of the Methodist and Baptist assemblies that meet there each season in August; also an interesting history of the lake region in and about Chautauqua.

HARPER & BROS. send out this week an unusually strong lot of books: the third volume of the library revision of Greene's "History of the English People," covering from 1603 to 1688, which looks as though a fifth volume will be necessary; two books on athletics and sports, "How to Get Strong and how to keep so," by Mr. W. G. Blaikie, who knows how, and "The Rifle Club and Range," by A. H. Weston; "Thackeray," by Anthony Trollope, in the *English Men of Letters*; a *Half-Hour* "History of England," which serves as an introduction to the little *Epochs* series; and two *Half-Hour* stories, "Mr. Grantley's Idea," by John Esten Cooke, and "My Sister's Keeper," by Laura M. Lane.

HOUGHTON, OSGOOD & Co. will publish in a few days Judge Shea's volume on "Alexander Hamilton." Two parts of the three originally planned for the work were published by Hurd & Houghton; these will now be included with the closing part in an octavo volume.

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G. P. PUTNAM'S SONS will have ready early in June several books of interest and importance. A very important announcement is of a new book by W. H. Mallock, the brilliant author of "The New Republic," an amplification under the same title of his famous review paper, "Is Life worth Living? Other notable books are "Roman Days," by Viktor Rydberg, author of "The Last Athenian," a bright and able book portraying the capitol of the world; "The Round Trip," by Capt. John Codman, in which that very well-informed and vivacious gentleman will give his account of the trip by way of Panama through California, Oregon, Nevada, Utah, Idaho, and Colorado, with notes on railroads, commerce, agriculture, mining, scenery, and people; and "A Bundle of Papers," essays by the writer who chooses to conceal himself under the *nom de plume* of "Paul Siegfolk."

D. APPLETON & Co. have just ready two important additions to the *International Scientific Series*, one by Ogden N. Rood, entitled "Modern Chromatics, with Application to Art and Industry." The object of the author has been, as he says in his preface, "to present in a clear, logical, and, if possible, attractive form, the fundamental facts connected with our perception of color, so far as they are at present known or concern the general or artistic reader." The other, a translation of E. Haeckel's "Evolution of Man," affords the English reader access to the latest doctrines of the Continental school of evolution, and its application to the history of man. Besides these they have three new *Handy Volumes*: "Last Essays of Elia," by Charles Lamb; "The Yellow Mask," a tale, by Wilkie Collins; and "A-Saddle in the Wild West," by Wm. H. Rideing, who gives an account of adventures with Prof. Wheeler's exploring expedition.

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The notes followed by a number are those which are sent out on printed title-slips, as revised by the Library Association authorities; unless bracketed, which means that they have not yet been so revised. Those not followed by a number are on the sole authority of the WEEKLY, and are not included in the title-slip registry.

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Imported books are marked with an asterisk: authors' and subscription books, or books published at net prices, with two asterisks; educational books published at "wholesale" prices, with a dagger.

American railway reports: coll. of all reported decisions rel. to railways. v. 11, 13, 14, 15, 16 (W. W. Ladd, jr.) N. Y., Cockcroft & Co., 1878-79. Ea. 8° shp., \$6.

Ashurst, J., jr. Principles and practice of surgery. 2d ed., rev. and enl. Phil., H: C. Lea, 1879. 1000 p. il. 8° cl., \$6; leath., \$7.

Atkinson, W. B. Hints in obstetric procedure. Phil., D. G. Brinton, 1879. 12° cl., \$1.

Attfield, J. Chemistry, general, medical and pharmaceutical; incl. the chemistry of U. S. pharmacopœia: manual of general principles of the science, and their applications in medicine and pharmacy. 8th ed., rev. by author. Phil., H: C. Lea, 1879. 697 p. il. 12° cl., \$2.50; leath., \$3.

Barnes, R. Clinical exposition of medical and surgical diseases of women. 2d Am. from 2d enl. and rev. Eng. ed. Phil., H: C. Lea, 1878. 784 p. il. 8° cl., \$4.50; leath., \$5.50.

Bartholow, Roberts. Spermatorrhœa: its causes, symptoms, results and treatment. 4th ed. rev. N. Y., W: Wood & Co., 1879. 128 p. 12° cl., \$1.

Bennett, C. W., D.D. National education in Italy, France, Germany, England and Wales, popularly considered. (From *Northern Christian Advocate*.) Syracuse, N. Y., Davis, Bardeen & Co., [1879]. 28 p. O. (American lib. of education, no. 7.) pap., 15 c.

Billroth, Theodor. General surgical pathology and therapeutics: 51 lectures tr. from 4th German ed., rev. from 8th ed. by C. E. Hackley. N. Y., Appleton, 1879. 773 p. roy. 8° cl., \$5; shp., \$6.

Bishop, Ja. L. Law and practice of insolvency and assignments: treatise on common and statute law of N. Y. rel. to insolvent debtors. N. Y., Baker, Voorhis & Co., 1879. 8° shp. net, \$5.

Bixby, W. H. Graphical computing table. N. Y., J: Wiley & Sons, 1879. 29 p. S. cl., 75 c. With chart 18 x 19 in.

Book and chart of tables; book contains directions for use of tables which author asserts will "enable anybody, without calculation and at sight," to multiply or divide any two numbers; to find 2d, 3d, or 5th power or root of any number; to obtain the circumference or area of any circle; to multiply or divide by the sine, cosine, tangent or cotangent of any arc; to reduce feet to metres or metres to feet, etc., etc. Author, Lieut. of Engineers, U. S. A.

Bliss, Philemon. Treatise upon the law of pleading, under codes of civil procedure of New York, Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Arkansas, Kansas, Nebraska, California, Nevada, Oregon, Colorado, North Carolina, South Carolina, Florida, Dakota, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho. St. Louis, Mo., F. H. Thomas & Co., 1879. 8° shp., \$5.

Brandt, G. W. Law of suretyship and guaranty as administered by courts of countries where the common law prevails. Chic., Callahan & Co., 1878. 900 p. 8° shp., \$6.50.

Bryant, T. Practice of surgery. 2d Am. from 3d rev. Eng. ed. Phil., H: C. Lea, 1879. 945 p. il. roy. 8° cl., \$6; leath., \$7.

Cameron, K. Plasterer's manual. N. Y., Bicknell & Comstock, 1879. 53 p. il. S. cl., 75 c.

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Cicero, Marcus Tullius. De oratore: libri tres; with expl. notes by E. P. Crowell.

Phila., Eldredge & Bros., 1879. 372 p. S. (Chase and Stuart's classical ser.) cl., \$1.35.

Clark, Mrs. S. R. Graham. Yensie Walton: Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1879]. 6-391 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

Story of a little English orphan girl, who after her father's death comes to live with her uncle, a New England farmer; she has many trials, which the writer seeks to prove are the means of developing a very noble character; the story leaves her grown to womanhood, and restored to her natural sphere of refinement.

Coleman, W. M. Epitome of Fearn's on contingent remainders and executory devises. Phil., T. & F. W. Johnson & Co., 1878. 12° cl., \$1.50.

Cooley, T. M. Treatise upon wrongs and their remedies. v. 1: Principles of the law of torts. Chic., Callahan & Co., 1878. 850 p. 8° shp., net, \$6.50.

Craik, Mrs. Dinah M. John Halifax, gentleman: a novel. [New issue.] N. Y., Harper, 1879. 89 p. Q. (Franklin sq. lib., no. 59.) pap., 15 c.

Davis, B. Compendious and complete Hebrew and Chaldee lexicon to New Testament; with Eng.-Hebrew index Rev., with statement of principles of Hebrew grammar, by E. C. Mitchell, D.D. Andover, Mass., W. F. Draper 1879. 8° cl., \$4.25; hf. tky., \$4.75.

Drake, Francis S. Town of Roxbury: its memorable persons and places, history and antiquities, with il. of old landmarks and noted personages. Roxbury, Oct., 1878. [Boston, A. Williams & Co.] 8 + 475 p. O. cl. \$3.50.

Also delineates the manners, customs, mode of life, and other characteristics of the men and women of former days; with many historical and biographical facts of general interest. Index.

Ellis, G. Viner. Demonstrations in anatomy. From the 8th rev. Eng. ed. Phil., H: C. Lea, 1879. 700 p. il. 8° cl., \$4.25; leath., \$5.25.

Emmet, T. Addis. Principles and practice of gynecology. Phil., H: C. Lea, 1879. 856 p. 130 il. 8° cl., \$5; leath., \$6.

Evans, W. Treatise upon law of principal and agent in contract and tort. Chicago, Chicago Legal News Co., 1879. 8° shp., \$5.

Farquharson, Rob., M.D. Guide to therapeutics and materia medica; ed. with add., embr. U. S. pharmacopœia, by Frank Woodbury, M.D. 2d ed. Phil., H: C. Lea, 1879. 400 p. 12° cl., \$2.25.

Farrar, C. A. J. Camp life in the wilderness: tale of the Richardson Lakes; with 12 il. on wood eng. by Johnson. Bost., A. Williams & Co., 1879. 3-224 p. S. pap., 25 c.

The haps and mishaps of a party of Boston gentlemen who spent a summer vacation in the Rangeley Lake region. Mostly fact, and furnishing reliable information for those thinking of visiting the lakes.

Finlayson, Ja. Clinical manual for study of medical cases. Phil., H: C. Lea, 1878. il. 12° cl., \$2.63.

Fitch, Joshua G. Art of questioning. Syracuse, N. Y., Davis, Bardeen & Co., 1879. 47-80 p. T. (School-room classics, 2.) pap., 15 c.

Instruction and suggestions for teachers as to the best methods of questioning a pupil on the lesson subject, and eliciting intelligent replies; substance of a lecture delivered to training classes established in connection with the British Sunday-School Union.

Fox, Tilbury, M.D., and Fox, T. C. Epitome of skin diseases; with formulæ. 2d ed., rev. and enl. Phil., H: C. Lea, 1879. 216 p. 12° cl., \$1.38.

Gray, H. Anatomy, descriptive and surgical: drawings by H. V. Carter, M.D., and Dr. Westmacott; dissections jointly by author and H. V. Carter; with introd. on gen. anat. and development, by T. Holmes, and "Landmarks, medical and surgical," by Luther Holden. New ed. from 8th enl. Eng. ed. Phil., H: C. Lea, 1879. 983 p. 552 il. 8° cl., \$6; leath., \$7.

Haberahon, S. O., M.D. Diseases of the abdomen, compr. those of stomach and other parts of the alimentary canal, œsophagus, cœcum, intestines and peritoneum. 2d Am. from 3d enl. and rev. Eng. ed. Phil., H: C. Lea, 1879. 554 p. 8° cl., \$3.50.

Hamilton, A. McL. Nervous diseases: their description and treatment. Phil., H: C. Lea, 1878. 512 p. il. 8° cl., \$3.50.

Heard, Franklin Fiske. Practical treatise on authority and duties of trial justices, district, police, and municipal courts in criminal cases; with forms in criminal proceedings, and precedents of complaints, indictments and special pleas. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1879. 8° shp., \$6.

Historical poetry of the ancient Hebrews; tr. and examined by Michael Heilprin. v. 1. N. Y., Appleton, 1879. Cr. 8° cl., \$2.

Honeyman, A. V. D. Abridgment of revised statutes of New Jersey, and of the amended constitution. Somerville, N. J., Honeyman & Rowe, 1878. 16° cl., \$3.

Hood, P. Treatise on gout, rheumatism and allied affections. 2d ed. Phil., Lindsay & Blakiston, 1879. 8° cl., \$3.50.

Husbands, Clement M. Law of married women in Pennsylvania, with view of law of trusts in that state. Phil., T. & J. W. Johnson & Co., 1878. 8° shp., \$5.50.

Hutchinson, E. Girder-making and practice of bridge-building in wrought iron, illustrated by examples of bridges, pier- and girder-work, etc., constructed at the Skerne Iron Works, Darlington, [England]. N. Y., E. & F. N. Spon, 1879. 184 p. 8° pl. cl., \$4.25.

Hyatt, Alpheus. Common hydroids, corals and echinoderms. Bost., Ginn & Heath, 1879. 32 p. il. T. (Guides for science-teaching, no. 5.) pap., 30 c.

Information, given in a plain form, about common hydroids, corals and echinoderms; such as teachers need and are not likely to get from other sources.

Keith, Merton S. Questions and notes in physics, covering parts 1 and 2 of Arnett's "Elements;" adapted for recitations in course and for examination, and intended as an aid in preparing for Harvard examinations for admission in minimum physics. Cambridge, C: W. Sever, 1879. 2 + 80 p. D. pap., 50 c.

Landolt, E., M.D. Manual of examination of the eyes; tr. by Swan M. Burnett, M.D. Rev. ed. Phil., D. G. Brinton, 1879. 312 p. 1 chart, 1 table, 8° cl., \$3.

Lessons of trust; by author of "How I found Jesus." Bost., Ja. H. Earle, 1879. 16° cl., 75 c.

Lynch, Ja. D. Kemper County vindicated; and, a peep at radical rule in Mississippi. N. Y., E. J. Hale & Son, 1879. 3-416 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

Claims to present a true history of the tragical events that occurred in Kemper Co., Miss., directly after the close of the late war; writer claims events were "persistently and maliciously exaggerated and misrepresented for the purposes of calumny." His narrative is based upon facts taken from the records of the state and county, and from personal statements of reliable witnesses.

Macduff, J. R., D.D. Palms of Elim; or, rest and refreshment in the valleys. N. Y., Rob. Carter & Co., 1879. 15 + 307 p. D. cl., \$1.50. Series of religious meditations, 70 in number, for the comfort and refreshment of those who are in the valleys of earthly tribulation; intended as a companion volume to "The grapes of Eshcol."

Marryat, Florence (pseud.) [Mrs. Ross Church.] A lucky disappointment. Bost., A. K. Loring, 1879. 34 p. Q. (Loring's Hub lib., no. 1.) pap., 15 c.

Novellette; about a young English girl who goes out to the Cape of Good Hope to marry a young man she has been engaged to, and separated from for six years.

Marryat, Florence (pseud.) [Mrs. Ross Church.] A star and a heart. Bost., A. K. Loring, 1879. 46 p. Q. (Loring's Hub lib., no. 2.) pap., 15 c.

Novel; heroine, an English actress of great beauty and talent, who almost throws away an honest heart in a vain attempt to win a title.

Morris, P. P. Practical treatise on the law of replevin in U. S. 3d rev. ed. Phil., Kay & Bro. 8° shp., \$5.

Moses, Raphael J., jr., ed. Compilation of laws on insolvency of all states and territories of U. S. and of Canada, in force Nov. 1, 1878; with indexes of subject matter of statutes of every state. N. Y., Baker, Voorhis & Co., 1879. 500 p. 8° shp., net, \$4.

Myers, W. G. Index to reports of Supreme Court of U. S., embr. all reported decisions of the Court from its organization to the present date. St. Louis, Mo., W. J. Gilbert, 1878. 537 p. 12° flex. mor., \$5.

Neubauer, C., and Vogel, J. G. Guide to qualitative and quantitative analysis of urine; for physicians, chemists, and pharmacists; with preface by R. Fresenius; tr. from 7th enl. and rev. German ed. by Elbridge G. Cutler, rev. by E. S. Wood. N. Y., W. Wood & Co., 1879. 575 p. 4 col. pl. 8° cl., \$6; leath., \$7.

Ogilvie, J. S., ed. American temperance speaker, no. 1: coll. of dialogues, prose and poetry, adapted for use in adult and juvenile temperance organizations, Sabbath and day schools, and for public and private readings, recitations and addresses. N. Y., Am. Temperance Pub. House, 1879. 96 p. D. cl., 60 c.; pap., 25 c.

One of many. Buffalo, N. Y., P: Paul & Bro., 1879. 38 p. S. tied with ribbon, pap., 75 c.

Short selected poems on death and immortality, by Rev. H. N. Powers, Halleck, Mrs. Browning, Saxe Holm, and others. Apparently a memorial to some loved one that death has claimed.

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The Publishers' Weekly.

F. LEYPOLDT, *Bibliographical Editor.*
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MAY 31, 1879.

PUBLISHERS are requested to furnish title-page proofs and advance information of books forthcoming, both for entry in the lists and for descriptive mention. An early copy of each book published should be forwarded, to insure correctness in the final entry.

The trade are invited to send "Communications" to the editor on any topic of interest to the trade, and as to which an interchange of opinion is desirable. Also, matter for "Notes and Queries." Notes from librarians will also be gratefully received.

In case of business changes, notification or card should be immediately sent to this office for entry under "Business Notes." New catalogues issued will also be mentioned when forwarded.

"Every man is a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenance and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help thereunto."—LORD BACON.

THE POSTAL REFORMATION.

It is not impossible that many of our readers have taken exception to the amount of space which has been given in their trade journal for the past few months to two specialties with which retailers as such seem to be little concerned—postal reform and international copyright. We might plead that with the useful compression of our old "Books Received" department into our present weekly list, and with other improvements, the WEEKLY has been enabled, outside these topics, to give more space to general articles of trade value and interest than ever before, but it is sufficient to say that such general questions as postal administration and copyright law are so fundamental to book-trade prosperity that we feel ourselves abundantly justified. We trust that by fall more than one of these questions will be so near final settlement as to enable the columns of the WEEKLY to be used for topics less dry.

But the full importance of the recent postal reformation, as it may fairly be called, is not yet understood by business men, and especially in our own trade, which is more interested than any other. The administration of the P. O. Department had for some time been decidedly restrictive in spirit; in all decisions, the one purpose seemed to have been to rule out everything possible. It is not too much to say that the Department has formally and avowedly re-

versed its policy in this particular, and that its present spirit is to accommodate the public by ruling in everything permissible without danger to the public interests, in the faith that the promotion of the interests of the public is also to the interest of the government. It is indeed believed that under the new and most liberal regulations, the amount of business will be so much increased as to make the 1st, 3d, and 4th classes self-sustaining, and if the franking and free county delivery abuses could be reformed, the same might possibly be said of the postal business as a whole. The instructions to postmasters from the authorities at Washington now invariably direct the most liberal constructions compatible with the interests of the Department to be in every case made.

As an illustration of the changes made by the new law, we subjoin the following letter from a well-known house in the trade:

"In your digest of the new postal regulations, do you intend to say that a way-bill, a bill of lading, or a common bill (or invoice) of goods, may be placed in an unsealed envelope and sent for one cent? We cannot understand it otherwise, and yet we cannot learn that our postmasters so understand it. Also a printed price-list, with prices filled out with pen or pencil, and perhaps the name of the party addressed? . . . Our postmaster allows that the instructions so read, but thinks an invoice cannot be sent other than first-class except it accompanies the package of merchandise of which it is the bill. It seems so great a change that we have no confidence in our position, and yet we cannot read it otherwise."

We are authorized, in reply to this, to state that the intention of the Department is to confine first-class matter to matter sealed or closed against inspection, or open written matter or printed matter with writing thereon or therein which is in the nature of personal correspondence. A simple invoice of goods may be sent at third-class rates, provided it is partly printed and the blanks filled out in writing. If such invoice should accompany fourth-class matter, it would be subject to fourth-class rates, as the higher rate would govern.

This is a considerable advantage to business men, and is an illustrative example of the radical change. Too much cannot be said of the importance of the increased facilities thus afforded, and it is to be hoped that experience will prove that, while the public is benefited the interests of the Department will not suffer.

THE new code of postal regulations will presently be issued entire, and in that we understand the disposition of short-paid and unpaid matter, referred to in a recent editorial as inadequately treated, will be fully covered. The subject, it appears, was not treated in the chap-

ter on classification, etc., because in the arrangement of the new code it belongs elsewhere. In the chapter on "Postage Stamps, Stamped Envelopes, etc.," will be found sections 26 and 27 of the act of March 3d, 1879, and in the chapter on "Disposition of Undelivered, Un-mailable, and Dead Matter" will appear the regulations respecting the proper disposition of short-paid and unpaid matter. In the main, the regulations will provide that where such matter is deposited in an office, it shall be the duty of the postmaster to notify the sender either by writing or return of matter, if known to him, and if not known, the addressee, if within the delivery of his office. If not, they shall send immediately to the Dead Letter Office, except in case of letters, which, if one full rate is paid thereon, should be forwarded to destination. This is as far as the Department feels warranted in going at present. Between now and the convening of the next session of Congress, however, the whole subject will be carefully investigated, and further action may be taken.

THE first payments for the Booksellers' and Stationers' Provident Association have so far come in fairly, but the majority are still to be heard from and should be heard from promptly. Blanks for new applications may now be had of the Secretary and should be kept on hand by members as a basis of efforts to extend the membership up to the constitutional limit. We hear of some complaints from lady members of the trade that married women are not included in its benefits. The Association in this respect follows the precedent of others of the kind, which are influenced by the same physiological considerations that compel the regular insurance companies, as a rule, to confine themselves to male lives, on the alternative of a considerable increase of the rate. It seems not to be understood in Philadelphia that the Executive Committee is by constitution confined to New York, to insure the proper transaction of business.

A CORRECTION.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20, 1879.

IN the communication of the undersigned published in your last number, the word "Sauer" was inserted after the name Christopher Sower as though Sauer were the true spelling. This is not only a mistake, but it is made to appear as the writer's blunder.

In all his numerous publications in the *English* language his name is spelled as by his descendants of the same name to the present time, viz., *Christopher Sower*. In his publications in *German* it is spelled *Christoph Saur*. So far as I have been able to learn, neither he nor his descendants ever spelled the name "Sauer."

C. G. S.

PHILADELPHIA LETTER.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22, 1879.

THE "book industry" in this city is at the present moment discussing in lively terms the peculiarity of the weather that has for some time afflicted it. It is somewhat hot, and positively but one degree removed from the delightful steaming process incidental to a tropical swamp. This affects our usually sweet-tempered fraternity, and unfortunately a slight growl of dissatisfaction has been heard, complaining that no Philadelphians were appointed on the committee of the B. and S. P. A. We do not for a moment suppose that so trivial a matter will be allowed to interfere with their first intentions, especially as our resident Vice-President is indefatigable in his efforts to convince them of the error of their ways, and to restore harmony. Hence more first instalments may be looked for by the Secretary within a few days.

Messrs. J. B. Lippincott & Co. have in press a dozen or more new works, which will not be ready for some time yet. Those requiring immediate notice are Würtz's "Elements of Modern Chemistry" and "In the Schillingscourt." The former will be a valuable work, as it will be replete with the latest information and discoveries in the science of chemistry; and as for "In the Schillingscourt," the mere mention of the fact that the author is E. Marlitt, and the translator Mrs. A. L. Wister, will be sufficient to cause the trade to keep an anxious eye for its appearance. The second and last volume of the "Encyclopædia of Chemistry" is nearly out of the binder's hands, and will be ready for delivery in about a week. The *Charles Dickens Edition* of Dickens, 16 vols., *Chiswick Shakespeare*, and "The Spectator," 8 vols. 16mo, have appeared in handsome full Russia cases, with flaps and clasps, and Voltaire's "Charles XII.," in French, has likewise been honored with a new dress, which adds greatly to its appearance.

Two important works have just been published by Mr. H. C. Lea: Carl Seiler "On the Diagnosis and Treatment of Diseases of the Throat and Nasal Cavities," which is intended as a guide to students of laryngoscopy in acquiring the skill requisite to the successful diagnosis and treatment of diseases of the larynx and naso-pharynx; and the second edition, revised especially for the American market by the author, of Farquharson's "Guide to Therapeutics and Materia Medica." This will contain a description of a number of new drugs, new therapeutic headings will be discussed, and reference will be made to all recent experiments and practical progress which seems to be thoroughly accepted by science.

Messrs. Lindsay & Blakiston are well pleased with the success thus far of their venture, *The American Health Primers*; the third of the series, "Long Life, and How to Reach It," by Dr. J. G. Richardson, will soon be ready. The work will awaken an interest in some people—those blessed with peace and plenty—but judging from the tone of some of the letters to the WEEKLY about underselling and numerous other complaints, we fear precious few in the trade care enough about life to prolong it. A reprint of Bloxam's "Laboratory Teaching," third edition, is in preparation.

The "Annals of Philadelphia," by W. Hazard, illustrated by Birch's celebrated views, has

already reached a second edition, and has received universal commendation as an able book and one long wanted. This is also published with Watson's "Annals," making the work complete in three volumes.

Marcus Ward & Co. are busily engaged in pushing their new lines of publications, *The New Plutarch* series, the *Historical Series for Children*, the *Blue-Bell Series* and *Waverley Novels*, and the serial entitled "The Old Country." Mr. John Glenn sailed last week for Europe to select stock for the fall trade.

Messrs. T. B. Peterson & Bros. have nearly ready, besides Henry Gréville's new Russian story, "Markof," "The Last Athenian," by Victor Rydberg, which will be a 12mo, bound in gilt and black cloth.

Legouvé's "Art of Reading," complete and unabridged, for some time announced by Claxton, Remsen & Haffelfinger, is now under way, and will positively be published in the course of a few weeks.

Messrs. L. R. Hamersley & Co.'s magazine, *The United Service*, has met with so much success that they propose to change it from a quarterly to a monthly. Considering that it is confined to military and naval affairs, and comes in direct competition with older and well-established journals, its success is highly gratifying.

C. E. B.

"UNTRAMMELLED COPYRIGHT."

(From a Letter by E. MARSTON, of Sampson Low & Co., to the *London Times*.)

As a publisher I trust I shall be absolved from the charge of advocating trade interests when I express my strong conviction that the only convention between the two countries which can possibly bear the test of time must be one based upon the "original and inherent rights of property." Let registration in Washington or London within a month or two months of first publication in either country convey respectively to English and American authors the same rights in each other's country as in their own, and one's sense of justice will be satisfied. In this case every English author would have absolute copyright in America, and American authors here. Every English book, after passing through the American Custom House, would be protected and sold for the benefit of the English owner. If it proved to be a book suited to American tastes, it would be found necessary to produce it in America by publishers acquainted with those tastes and possessing the appliances for putting it before the American public, and American publishers would soon make arrangements with the owners for reproducing it. If the work is not wanted or cared for by the American public, it would die, or only find casual sale; but, at all events, it would have had a fair chance for existence.

Such restrictions as those proposed by American publishers exist in no other conventions; they arise out of a most unfounded and unnecessary fear of competition by English publishers, although they must be fully convinced that no English publisher can compete with them on their own ground. But if it were otherwise, what law or convention could prevent an English publisher from establishing a house in America and financing an American citizen to conduct it for him? As to the flooding America

with English printed editions, the fear of which seems to be another cause of the proposed restrictions, it can hardly be supposed that there would be more likelihood of this being done in the future than it has been in the past, and American publishers should not forget that they will have full power of retaliation by flooding England with American printed copyrights free of duty, while English printed copyrights would be weighted with an American import tariff, with expenses added, of about 30 per cent—in itself sufficient, in most instances, to induce English publishers to seek the aid of their American brethren, by selling them copyrights or stereo plates, or receiving share of profits or royalties, rather than to oppose them on their own ground. The natural result of the untrammelled copyright which I advocate would be precisely what Messrs. Harper desire, not what they fear.

E. MARSTON.

No. 188 Fleet St., London, May 3, 1879.

A NEW ART MAGAZINE.

ESTES & LAURIAT, Boston, are to be the publishers of *The American Art Review*, a monthly journal to be devoted to the practice, theory, history, and archæology of art. The rapid growth of æsthetic culture in the United States during the last ten years is thought to warrant the publication of such a magazine. Under the editorial management of Mr. S. R. Koehler, for some years with L. Prang & Co., thoroughly well posted in art and a practised literary workman, with the aid, as associate editors, of Dr. W. C. Prime and Charles C. Perkins, whose works on art have become standards, the technical success of the new venture seems to be assured. The new magazine will embrace the art of our own time as well as of the past in all its branches, and in all countries, and will give special attention to the history and archæology of art in America. The list of contributors and artists with whom arrangements have been made include nearly all the prominent names in the art world. All original articles will be signed. The illustrations will consist of first-class etchings, engravings, heliogravures, wood-cuts, photo-engravings, etc., but its especial feature will be a series of original painter-etchings by American artists. Besides these American etchings, each number of the *Review* will contain at least one etching by a celebrated European artist. The *Review* will be published in monthly parts, at one dollar per part, each part containing three full-page plates and forty pages of letter-press, illustrated with cuts, size 9½ x 12½. The first number will probably appear in the autumn.

PERSONAL MENTION.

MR. HENRY HOLT sailed for Europe in the steamer *Bothnia*, on Wednesday, May 21st, for a stay of several months.

W. SCOTT PARKER severs his connection with the St. Louis Book and News Co. to take charge of the miscellaneous book department of the Hugh R. Hildreth Printing Co.

COMMUNICATIONS.

EARLY BIBLES IN AMERICA.

NEW YORK, May 22, 1879.

To the Editor of the Publishers' Weekly:

Will you allow me to add a word to C. G. S.'s correction of Mr. Carter's "valued correspondent"?

The first English quarto edition of the Bible issued in this country was published in 1790 by Matthew Carey. The title-page reads: "The | Holy Bible, | translated from the | Latin Vulgate; | diligently compared with the | Hebrew, Greek, and other editions, | in divers languages; | and first published by | the English College at Douay, anno 1609. | Newly revised and corrected according to | the Clementine edition of the Scriptures, | with annotations for elucidating | the principal difficulties of Holy Writ. | Haurietis aquas in gaudio de fontibus Salvatoris. Isaia xii. 3. | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by Carey, Stewart & Co. | MDCCXC."

Perhaps, however, being a Douay edition, this "does not count" in the eyes of Mr. Carter's correspondent.

Very truly, etc.,

P. H. CANNON.

THE UNIVERSITY PRESS.

We call attention to the full announcement elsewhere of Messrs. John Wilson & Sons, whose well-known establishment now includes the famous University Press. Both have been noted for good printing, and Messrs. Wilson propose to extend their reputation still more. In this connection, we reprint the following from the *Literary World*:

"The cut of the University Press gives a very true idea of the exterior of that establishment, which is almost in sight from the south-west corner of the college yard. The building, once the Brattle House, has long been a landmark of the city, and stands on historic ground, where a hundred years ago the beautiful gardens of Thomas Brattle stretched away to the river. Exactly what is meant by speaking of the University Press as 'established in 1639' needs explanation. This University Press has no connection with Harvard University, except by reason of its name. It is true, and of this fact the establishment before us may serve as a memorial, that at Cambridge, in connection with Harvard College, in 1639, was set up the first printing press in the territory of what is now the United States of America; and that for nearly half a century the only printing done in this country was done by this press, under the auspices of the college. From that ancient 'university press' went forth the *Bay Psalm Book*, Eliot's *Indian Bible*, and a long line of the earliest colonial literature, every item in which is now a pearl of great price."

HUMORS OF THE TRADE.

HUSBAND is the author of "Law of Married Women in Pennsylvania." Certainly a competent person.

A PENNSYLVANIA dealer to whose store the humorous people seem to drift sends us a query he has received for "a book name who is your school-master." The applicant is respectfully referred to Rev. Edward Eggleston.

NOVELTIES.



E have received through the courtesy of Messrs. Field & Tuer, London, the accompanying specimen of a new invention by the editor of the *Paper and Printing Trades Journal*. Duplex printing, as the new process is called, accomplishes the display of two advertisements or announcements in the space usually occupied by one. It will be observed that the results of the new invention consist essentially in the display of bold type over small—which may be set solid, and fill the whole space at command. Where the small type crosses the large, instead of being in black, it is reversed and appears in white, so that the double announcement can be easily read. Duplex printing seems peculiarly adapted for newspaper advertisements, in which we understand trade-marks can be incorporated by the same method. Electro blocks are supplied by the Typographic Etching Co., 23 Farringdon Street, London. Printers can do their own composition and send the type, but the company undertakes to do the composition when required.

KEUFFEL & ESSER call attention to their "Paragon" roll drawing-paper, which is remarkable for its uniformity in grain and texture, strength of tissue, toughness and pliability, so sized as to stand erasing and yet receive color and ink perfectly.

BUSINESS NOTES.

WORCESTER, MASS.—Sanford & Dickson, wholesale and retail stationers, have been succeeded in business by Eaton & Dickson.

NEW YORK CITY.—S. W. Green has sold and assigned his interest in the printing establishment lately carried on by him at 14 to 22 Jacob St. to Mr. H. A. Burr. The business will be conducted by S. W. Green's son, agent. Mr. S. W. Green's services will still be retained, and his skill and long experience will be at the service of the business.

NEW YORK CITY.—Charles A. Lilley, late with A. Cogswell, has gone into business for himself as publisher, bookseller, and general purchasing agent. His place of business is at 11½ and 13 College Place.

SENECA FALLS, N. Y.—R. Bickford, bookseller and druggist, has sold out his business to Charles W. Butler, who will continue the business under the firm of Butler & McKechnie.

PHILA., PA.—F. Scofield & Co., publishers and manufacturers of blank-books, have dissolved partnership.

ADA, OHIO.—Ambaugh & Mahan, druggists and stationers, have dissolved partnership.

ST. JOHNS, MICH.—M. L. Bagg succeeds Mrs. J. M. Bagg, druggist and bookseller.

EVANSVILLE, WIS.—West & Potter, booksellers and stationers, have dissolved partnership. James R. West continues.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

THE fall volume from Phillips Brooks will be entitled "The Influences of Jesus."

DEAN MERIVALE's four lectures on early church history will be ready at A. D. F. Randolph & Co.'s in a few days.

It is said that 50,000 copies of Mrs. Brassey's "Voyage Round the World in the Yacht Sunbeam" have been sold in England, France, and America.

We are glad to note that the missing Goethe chapter in Bayard Taylor's "Lectures on German Literature" has been found in a box of Mr. Taylor's papers, completing the ms. for publication in fall.

FRANCIS S. DRAKE's history of Roxbury, for sale by A. Williams & Co., Boston, an interesting as well as valuable contribution to American local history, has the credit of being, with the exception of C. K. Dillway's little history of the "Free School of Roxburie," the first book published in Roxbury.

A NEW novel by Chas. F. Bellamy, the writer of "Six to One: a Nantucket Idyl," is in preparation by G. P. Putnam's Sons. It is a much more ambitious and important work than its predecessor, dealing, under the title of "The Breton Mills," with certain elements of the labor question.

JOHN WILEY & SONS have in preparation, in a \$15 quarto, an important work on "Port Charges and Requirements on Vessels in the Various Ports of the World," edited by Theo. Hunter, under the recommendation of the Maritime Association of the Port of New York. It will have tables of moneys, weights, and measures of all nations, and a telegraphic code for master and owner.

HOWARD LOCKWOOD, 74 Duane Street, New York, has published the fifth edition of his "Paper Trade Directory for 1879." It contains several new features, notably the statements including the population of each place, its railway communications, the nearest bank, and whether it has a money-order, telegraph, and express office. The mills are classified, showing the quantity and quality of paper made, and there is other information of interest to the trade.

"WHEN we expressed the hope," says the *Examiner*, "that Justin McCarthy's 'History of Our Own Times' might be speedily republished in America, we did not dream of getting it for twenty cents; yet that is all the Messrs. Harper ask for it. A good many, however, who first read it in the Franklin Square Library will want a more substantial edition." The last is certainly true, but small chance they have of it, we fear, under the present system.

THE Routledge quarter-centennial celebration proved so pleasant to the participants therein that the example was promptly followed on the next succeeding occasion,—the centenary of Thomas Moore's birth. Messrs. Routledge publish valuable editions of his works, and the day was honored by a spread in the basement of their establishment, which was decorated with flags of all the nations into whose language Moore's works had been

translated, and with a portrait of the poet framed with flowers. The affair was very pleasant and successful.

GINN & HEATH have in preparation a translation, by Prof. G. T. Dippold of Boston University, of Emanuel Geib's "Brunhild." Prof. Dippold, whose lecture on the Nibelung sagas was favorably received, has translated the tragedy faithful to the original. From the growing interest in the subject of early German literature, it seems that an English edition of "Brunhild" will be very desirable. These publishers are rendering a good service to teachers by the publication of a series of little pamphlets entitled "Guides for Science-Teaching." These contain simple illustrations and instructions about modes of presenting and studying subjects, with suggestions in regard to preserving, preparing, collecting, and purchasing specimens. Five numbers have already appeared, and several more are coming.

THE friends and admirers of Paul H. Hayne will celebrate his fiftieth birthday, January 1, 1880, by an elegantly illustrated edition of his complete poetical works, to include "Poems" (1854); "Sonnets and other Poems" (1856); "Avolio, a Legend of the Island of Cos, with Poems, Lyrical, Miscellaneous and Dramatic" (1860); "Legends and Lyrics" (1872); "The Mountain of the Lovers, with Poems of Nature and Tradition" (1875); together with the work done by him since the publication of his last volume. The poet is now engaged arranging and revising, so that the plates may be commenced at the earliest possible day. The work will be sold to subscribers only, and the profits go to the poet. Subscription cards will be supplied by Colonel John J. James, Superintendent Texas Military Institute, Austin, Texas.

MADAME MICHELET is preparing a history of the childhood of Michelet.

It is noted that Tennyson has had since 1830 a dozen different publishers.

THE sixth volume of Kinglake's "History of the Invasion of the Crimea," having the subtitle "Winter Troubles," will presently be published.

GEORGE McDONALD's new story, "Sir Gibbie," is but just published in London in book form, though issued by J. B. Lippincott & Co. some months ago.

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"WHITE and Black in America" is the title of a book in which Sir George Campbell, M. P., is about to publish the results of much careful observation during his recent tour in the United States.

A NEW opening has been found for the British trade. The Directors of the Hand-in-Hand Insurance Office, the oldest in that country, propose to extend their connection by appointing booksellers and stationers as agents in all those places where no agent has already been appointed.

MR. FRANCIS GEORGE HEATH has in the press of Sampson Low & Co. a little volume to be called "Trees and Ferns," which is in substance a reprint in a cheap form of portions of his works "Our Woodland Trees," "The Fern World," and "The Fern Paradise." To the book will be added illustrations and an introduction. These should be reprinted here.

M. RENAN's sixth volume of the "Origines du Christianisme," with the title of "L'Eglise," is completely in type. The series will, however, not be concluded with this volume, as the author intended. A seventh will follow, which will contain chiefly the history of Marcus Aurelius and of Montanism. The index to the seven volumes will be issued separately.

MESSRS. BLACKWOOD & SONS have in the press "Monks of the West," by Count de Montalembert, authorized translation, vols. 6 and 7, completing the work; "Delicia," by the author of "Miss Molly;" "A Ballad Book," with notes from the unpublished mss. of Chas. Kirkpatrick Sharpe and Sir Walter Scott;" "A History of the British Empire during the Reign of Queen Anne," by John Hill Burton, etc.

LONGMANS & Co. have in press, in a large octavo with many illustrations, "A Popular Introduction to the History of Greek and Roman Sculpture, designed to Promote the Knowledge and Appreciation of the Remains of Ancient Art," by Walter Copland Perry, who is well known as the author of the scheme for the formation of a Museum of Casts from the Antique, which Lord Beaconsfield, in the House of Lords, promised to take into favorable consideration during the last recess.

THE first volume of Dr. F. Ratzel's work on "The United States of North America" has just been issued in Munich (Oldenburg). It is already spoken of as giving "a trustworthy account of the United States and of their physical geography," such as has not been published either in America or in England. The *Athenæum* says: "His account of the physical geography of the country, its geology, fauna and flora, is all that can be reasonably demanded. A series of physiognomical sketches descriptive of the most characteristic scenery of the country is appended to the work, and materially enhances its interest. These sketches are partly written by the author himself, who paid a visit to the United States in 1873-75, or they have been borrowed from the narratives of competent scientific explorers, such as Sir Charles Lyell, D. D. Owen, J. D. Whitney, and others. A second volume is to be devoted to the political and social condition of the United States, their statistics and topography."

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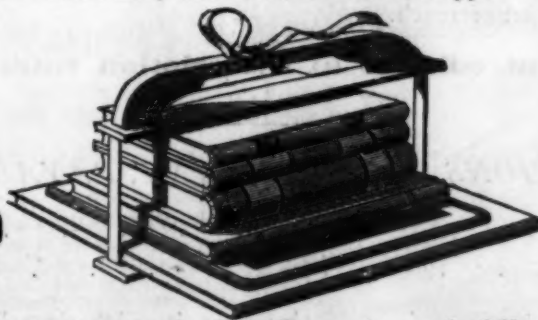
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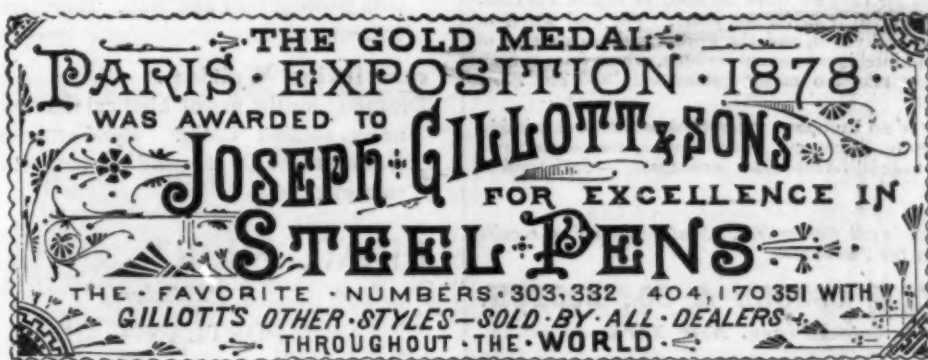


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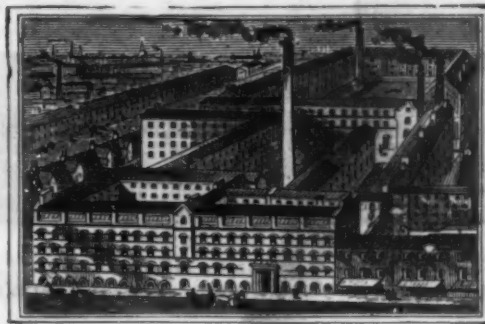
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